

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:      NICOLA FUNNELL  
For :                              APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR HANDLING SYSTEM INFORMATION IN  
   MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM USER EQUIPMENT  
U.S. Serial No.:              10/777,478  
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Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated May 3, 2006, the Applicant submits the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.